

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

INDICATOR: Domestic Violence: Arrest rate for spousal abuse

DEFINITION: The rate per 1,000 adult population (18 and older) of arrest for domestic violence incidents

NUMERATOR: The total number of arrests for spousal abuse (violation of Penal Code Section 273.5, male and female perpetrators) by place of residence, in a calendar year

DENOMINATOR: Total adult population, by place of residence, in a calendar year

HEALTHY PEOPLE 2010 OBJECTIVE: None

Domestic Violence: Arrests for spousal abuse

Year	California						LA County						DENOMINATOR:	
	Total	Male	Female	Rate	Lower 95% CI	Upper 95% CI	Total	Male	Female	Rate	Lower 95% CI	Upper 95% CI	State	County
1990	43,760	40,905	2,855	2.0	2.0	2.0	16,430	15,362	1,068	2.5	2.5	2.6	22,073,265	6,540,863
1991	45,877	42,318	3,359	2.0	2.0	2.1	16,562	15,337	1,225	2.5	2.5	2.5	22,434,634	6,615,683
1992	49,547	45,349	4,198	2.2	2.2	2.2	17,455	15,978	1,479	2.6	2.6	2.7	22,771,850	6,680,728
1993	50,982	46,063	4,919	2.2	2.2	2.2	16,663	14,983	1,680	2.5	2.5	2.5	22,919,730	6,678,592
1994	56,919	50,473	6,446	2.5	2.5	2.5	17,820	15,778	2,042	2.7	2.6	2.7	23,027,636	6,692,649
1995	60,279	52,394	7,885	2.6	2.6	2.6	18,369	15,945	2,424	2.7	2.7	2.8	23,158,473	6,693,906
1996	59,828	51,219	8,609	2.6	2.5	2.6	18,197	15,639	2,558	2.7	2.7	2.8	23,340,409	6,699,792
1997	63,636	53,778	9,858	2.7	2.7	2.7	18,726	15,819	2,907	2.8	2.7	2.8	23,705,548	6,766,759
1998	56,892	47,519	9,373	2.4	2.3	2.4	17,190	14,330	2,860	2.5	2.5	2.6	24,080,238	6,819,775
1999	51,782	42,874	8,908	2.1	2.1	2.1	15,673	12,959	2,714	2.3	2.2	2.3	24,485,146	6,882,636
2000	50,928	41,680	9,248	2.0	2.0	2.1	14,620	11,852	2,768	2.1	2.1	2.1	24,882,708	6,946,009
2001	52,072	42,439	9,633	2.1	2.0	2.1	15,143	12,290	2,853	2.2	2.1	2.2	25,300,422	7,000,017

Sources: California Department of Justice, Criminal Justice Statistics Center

Denominator data: California Department of Finance, "Race/Ethnic Population with Age and Sex Detail, 1970-2040,"

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